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Mike Powell

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Subject:

Less Centralized Ownership of the Media, Please

Dear Michael Powell, Commissioner of FCC,

I feel the need to let you know that we need less centralized ownership of the media, not more. Too few groups, most with strongly vested partisan political interests, control what we see and hear. A handful of huge media conglomerates with enormous conflicts of interest, largely determine the information the average American receives.

I feel very strongly about this, especially considering the recent options we ,Vermonters, have . During these times when we are interested in hearing and seeing what is really happening, we are limited to all the sensationalism and drama that the media is feeding us.

Please give us some options, Please..... Thank you for taking the time to read this.

Sincerely, Fran Renaud & Woodbridge Fuller 74 School St Westminster, VT 05158